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The Honorable Valerie E. Caproni
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
Thurgood Marshall
United States Courthouse
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

Re: *Maddy et al. v. Fekkai Brands LLC*,
1:22-cv-5646

Dear Judge Caproni:

We were recently retained to represent defendant Fekkai Brands LLC (“Defendant”) in the above-referenced action. In light of our recent retention, and in accordance with Rule 2.C of Your Honor’s Individual Practices, we respectfully write to request (i) an extension of Defendant’s time to respond to the Complaint from November 4, 2022 to December 5, 2022; and (ii) an adjournment of the Initial Pretrial Conference ~~that is currently scheduled for November 4, 2022~~, until December 9, 2022, or some subsequent date that is convenient for the Court. Defendant respectfully submits this request so that it may be afforded additional time to investigate the allegations of the Complaint, and explore a potential resolution with Plaintiff. This is Defendant’s first request for the relief sought herein. Although Defendant contacted Plaintiff to ascertain their position on this application, Defendant had not received a response as of the time of this filing.

Thank you for Your Honor’s consideration of these requests.

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Respectfully submitted,

OGLETREE, DEAKINS, NASH,
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By: /s/ Evan B. Citron
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cc: All counsel of record (by ECF)

Application GRANTED. Defendant's deadline to answer or move to dismiss is hereby extended from Friday, November 4, 2022, until **Monday, December 5, 2022**. The Initial Pretrial Conference previously adjourned *sine die*, is hereby rescheduled for **Friday, December 9, 2022, at 10:00 A.M.** The parties must submit a joint letter as set forth in Dkt. 5 not later than **Thursday, December 1, 2022**.

SO ORDERED.



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HON. VALERIE CAPRONI
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE